

Docket No. 3350-0005B  
Client No. Ebill-B  
File No. 1158.41315CV2



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/820,955  
Confirmation No. : 9517  
Applicant : Kitchen et al.  
Filed : March 30, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 3628  
Examiner : Nga B. Nguyen  
Customer No. : 20457

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
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P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 3, 2003

Dear Group Director John Love:

A formal request for status on the above-referenced application was filed on August 18, 2003.

Because we did not receive a timely response to our status request, we further filed a Communication to SPE Hyung Fough on August 18, 2003 requesting his/her assistance in obtaining a response to our status request.

We still have not received a response to our original status request filed on April 9, 2003. Additionally, we have had no reply to the follow on communication to the SPE filed on August 18, 2003.

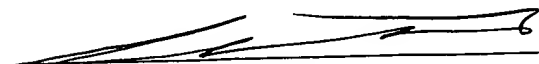
Accordingly, we would appreciate your assistance in obtaining a prompt reply to our request for a status of the above-reference application.

Please feel free to contact the undersigned should you have any questions regarding the above or the prior filings.

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Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully submitted,  
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